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## GUARDS ARMED

### Exposition Watchmen Will Carry Winchester.

## ALL TO BE DEPUTIES

### Situation at the Lewis and Clark Fair Grounds is Disquieting.

## STRIKERS BEING EXCLUDED

### Incendiary Fires Are Feared and Work is Being Rushed as Much as Possible—Hoped Adjustment Can Soon Be Reached.

Portland, Feb. 2.—There is no improvement in the strike situation at the Lewis and Clark fair grounds. In order to prevent sympathetic strikes, which are likely to occur if the strikers come in contact with the workmen, the Lewis and Clark corporation, through W. C. Lang, head watchman, today made application to the sheriff to have the exposition guards made deputies.

The guards will, it is said, be armed with Winchester rifles, and will have authority to make arrests and even resort to extreme measures, if necessary, to keep the workmen isolated.

Outside an occasional altercation, the strikers are behaving peaceably.

It is said that the reason for the trouble is the fact that some of the workmen are rough followers of expositions, who are accustomed to use bullying tactics, and will back no strict authority. On the other hand it is alleged that the workmen try to comply with the requirements, but by misunderstandings cause trouble. It is expected that the difficulties will be adjusted this week, and hereafter things will run smoothly.

on the buildings where a strike occur Work is progressing satisfactorily on the buildings where a strike occurred this week. The moving of the mining building was begun today by a new force of men, strikers having deserted this structure earlier in the week. Painters are now at work on the forestry building, and it is expected that several carpenters who struck will return to work either today or tomorrow. Whether the strikers will make good their threat to call out carpenters yet working and tie up the building on the fair grounds remains to be seen. Contractors say there are 100 applications daily for work, and no difficulty is experienced in carrying on the work.

Owing to the unsettled condition of affairs, it was feared that some incendiary might set fire to the buildings, and haste in getting the fire apparatus installed on the grounds will be used. Last night additional watchmen were on duty, and carefully guarded against any outsiders getting into the grounds during the darkness.

## TO CHEAT GALLOWES.

### Large Fee for Smuggling Poison to a Woman.

Windor, Vt., Feb. 2.—An offer of \$500 has been made Harold Harpin, a guard at the state prison, to give a package of poison to Mrs. Mary M. Rogers, under the death sentence for the murder of her husband.

The offer was made by an anonymous letter from Boston, containing \$250 in bills. The writer offered to send the other \$250 as soon as the poison should be delivered. The postal authorities have been asked to investigate the letter.

## CASHIER ON TRIAL.

### Friends Claim Charges Against Him Are Only Technical.

New York, Feb. 2.—James S. O'Neil, formerly cashier of the Equitable bank of this city, which was closed a year ago by the controller of the currency after an existence of 30 months, has

been arraigned before United States Commissioner Rowe in Jersey City and held in \$10,000 bail on an indictment found by the federal grand jury in New York. Bail was furnished.

On evidence presented by the controller of the currency an indictment was found against O'Neil January 20. He was charged with falsifying his reports to the treasury department and the books of the bank.

Friends of O'Neil, who was for 19 years cashier of the Chattanooga National bank of Chattanooga, Tenn., say he was imposed upon by others in the transactions and assert that the charges against him are only technical.

## SCHOOL MUST WAIT.

### 'Joe' Pulitzer's Gift Must Be Post-Mortem.

New York, Feb. 2.—The Tribune will state tomorrow that the establishment of Joseph Pulitzer's school of journalism at Columbia university will be deferred until after Pulitzer's death.

The reasons given for the donor's determination are: First, owing to his precarious state of health he is unable to give the subject the attention required; second, he fears his individuality might influence the faculty of the university, and he desires the faculty to be absolutely free; third, time will be also gained for the further development of plans; fourth, he hopes time will bring the indispensable man who is to serve as the head of the institution, and whom Pulitzer has not yet found.

## To Reduce Tariff.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Secretary Taft has addressed Chairman Payne of the house committee on ways and means urging congress to pass, during the present session, the pending Philippine tariff bill reducing duties between the islands and this country.

## DISCUSSION ON SEED

### Senators Only Want Rare Kinds Donated.

## BARKER SPRINGS SENSATION

### New York Congressman Discovers the Best Way to Kill the Democratic Party—Roosevelts Entertain Supreme Court Justices.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The senate spent much of the day discussing the distribution of farm and garden seeds by the agricultural department, the agricultural bill being under consideration.

The opponents of the measure contended that the seeds of only common varieties are provided, and though if seeds are to be distributed only rare varieties should be supplied free. Supporters of the bill declared that much good is accomplished by the department. The bill was still under consideration when the senate adjourned.

## Baker's Sensation.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The postoffice bill was still under consideration when the house adjourned today. The provision for special mail facilities on trunk lines was retained.

A mild sensation was created by Baker (democrat of New York), who said that voting mail subsidies was the best way to kill the democratic party. Baker denounced certain members of his party for having foisted Judge Parker on them, saying that his candidacy was initiated and manipulated by monopolists.

## To Extend Free Trade.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Representative Williams of Mississippi introduced a bill today extending free trade between the Philippines and the United States.

## Piles for Isthmus.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The isthmian canal commission has awarded a contract for five piles to a Lacomber, Wash., company for \$200,000.

## Entertained Justices.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The president and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained the justices of the supreme court tonight. A number of guests were invited to meet them.

## STILL IN JAIL

### Maxim Gorky Is Not Yet Released.

## 208 IN THE HOSPITAL

### Demonstrations Against the Czar Continue in Number of Russian Cities.

## POLICE ARREST AGITATORS

### Galician Leader of Socialists Rouses Crowd to Frenzy and a Number Are Seriously Injured by Police and Many Arrested.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—Detailed reports at the headquarters of the St. Petersburg military district show that though thousands of troops were on guard January 22, only 480 shots were fired. The authorities point out that this indicates no general volleying. The number of injured in the hospitals today is 208.

The report that Maxim Gorky was released, which gained currency today, is either incorrect or he will be released on the understanding that he will leave St. Petersburg without the slightest delay. He had not returned to his home late tonight. A friend with whom he lives, and who was permitted to visit him today, stated that he found the author still in solitary confinement in the St. Paul and St. Petersburg fortress.

## "Down With Czar!"

Leimberg, Feb. 2.—Thousands of workmen engaged in a demonstration against the czar today marched the streets shouting "Hurrah for the Polish revolution," and "Down with the czar!" The procession stopped and howled in front of the Russian consulate. The police dispersed the crowd, making many arrests.

## Police Lethargy Explained.

London, Feb. 2.—The Warsaw correspondent of the Times says the strike is failing for lack of funds. He states that for days before the demonstration, malcontents gathered in the city, and the lethargy of the police gave an appearance of the authorities encouraging the influx so as to obtain an excuse for the use of drastic measures.

## CRACOW OUTBREAK.

### Galician Leader Stirs Up Trouble Among the Socialists.

Vienna, Feb. 2.—There is a serious disturbance at Cracow. Tonight thousands of workmen gathered at the monument of the poet, Wiczlawa, where Deputy Damski, the leader of the Galician socialists, made a speech denouncing the czar, whose portrait was torn in shreds amid shouts for vengeance.

The police dispersed the demonstrators. Fifteen were seriously wounded and many were arrested.

## Demands Granted.

New York, Feb. 2.—There will be no strike on the subway. The demands of the men were all granted and the old trip schedule, recently suspended, will be restored.

## Historian Suicides.

New York, Feb. 2.—Count Hippelito Malaguzzi Valeri has committed suicide in a cab, says a Herald dispatch from Milan, Italy. He was keeper of state archives and author of historical works. His suicide is attributed to nervous prostration from over work.

## MINE REDEEMED.

### Cornucopia Taken Out of Hook by New York Capitalists.

Baker City, Feb. 2.—The Cornucopia mine was today redeemed by a New York syndicate said to represent the interests of the Searls bankrupt estate,

the creditors accepting between \$40,000 and \$50,000 as the amount of the judgment. The Cornucopia was sold recently on an execution to satisfy numerous judgments of miners and other local creditors. The case was fought through the courts of this state, and the United States courts, both of this state and New York.

The Cornucopia mine is estimated to be worth more than \$250,000 at the time the sheriff sold it for less than \$50,000.

## Gotch Keeps Laurels.

Cleveland, Feb. 2.—Frank Gotch, of Humboldt, la., successfully defended his title of champion of the United States in a match with Tom Jenkins of Cleveland. Gotch won the second fall in one minute and the third fall in 12 minutes. The contest was for the heavyweight wrestling championship of the United States and a purse of \$2000.

## Preparing for Battle.

Oku's Headquarters, Feb. 2.—The Russian force remains opposite the Japanese left. Occasional shots are fired, but no serious attacks are attempted. It is evident both armies are preparing for battle as soon as the weather moderates. It is believed the present cold weather is the last of the season.

## Mormons Reform.

Boise, Idaho, Feb. 2.—The senate today passed a bill prohibiting polygamy and another against adultery. Both bills carry heavy fines and penalties. The motion for the passage of both bills was made by Senator Hart, a Mormon.

## Park Re-ceded.

Sacramento, Feb. 2.—The assembly passed a bill today re-ceding the Yosemite valley to the federal government.

## TROUBLE IN OLYMPIA

### Senate Wants to Move Capital to Tacoma.

## HOUSE MAY ALSO STAND IN

### Row Over Bill to Provide a Paid Chaplain to Wrestle With the Convicts Starts With a Protest From the Catholics.

Olympia, Feb. 2.—The bill providing for the submission to voters of a constitutional amendment removing the state capital from Olympia to Tacoma was passed by the senate today, but an attempt to have it immediately transmitted to the house failed and an effort will be made to reconsider the bill before it leaves the senate. Apparently there is no chance for a reconsideration defeating the bill, and the house seems to be in a mood to pass it also.

The house this afternoon indulged in a wordy war over the bill providing for the appointment of a paid chaplain in the penitentiary. The fact that about two-thirds of the convicts profess to believe in Protestant faiths, and one-third are Catholic, resulted in insistence by the Catholics that the bill will not exclude Catholic priests from offering consolation or religious services to convicts who desire them. The author of the bill started a heated controversy by saying that the Catholics are opposed to the public schools system. The bill was finally amended so that all were appeased and was then passed.

## To Extradite Forger.

New York, Feb. 2.—Philip McIntyre, arrested for passing a forged check on a Mexican bank today, was committed to the Tombs for 30 days to await extradition papers from Virginia, where he is also wanted for passing forged paper.

## No Wheat Carrying.

San Francisco, Feb. 2.—For the first time in many years no vessel in this port is listed as engaged for carrying grain. The copious rainfall promises, however, to provide for a large fleet before the end of the year, and the indications of a large crop are encouraging to the ship owners as well as to the shippers.

## NO DEPUTIES

### Van Dusen's Bill Snowed Under.

## HENDERSON LOSES JOB

### Governor Will Sign the Bill Removing State Quarantine Officers.

## SHORVEST BILL OF SESSION

### What Constitutes a Box of Hops to Be Settled by Law—Cello Portage Measure Goes Through Senate Despite Opposition.

Salem, Feb. 2.—Most of the morning session was consumed in the senate discussing a bill to appropriate \$25,000 for operating the Dalles-Cello portage road. The bill was vigorously fought by supporters of the bill appropriating the same amount for dredging the Willamette, which failed to pass the senate yesterday. In spite of the opposition, the bill finally passed.

The house transacted little business of importance, in order to allow the committees to catch up with the work of both houses.

## Fires Quarantine Men.

Salem, Or., Feb. 2.—Governor Chamberlain announced yesterday that he had signed Senator Miller's bill providing for the abolishment of the state quarantine officers. The federal authorities will now assume charge. The men who will lose their positions at the end of the necessary 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature, are:

At Astoria, H. L. Henderson, salary, \$1000; at Coos Bay, E. E. Straw, \$400; at Gardner, Alex. M. Patterson, \$400; at Yaquina City, J. D. Wetmore, \$400.

## Van Dusen Snowed Under.

Salem, Or., Feb. 2.—Fish Warden Van Dusen's bill providing two men jobs in connection with his office in the shape of a clerk and an additional deputy, was snowed under in the house.

The bill was introduced by Von der Hellen of Jackson, and provided for the appointment of one special deputy, who was to be known by the title of "deputy fish warden." In return for carrying this title around and going to the trouble of holding office it was provided that he was to receive a stipend of \$1000 a year. Provision was made for a clerk, who was to get a salary of \$300 a year.

## A Box of Hops.

Salem, Feb. 2.—There will be no more strikes in Oregon on differences of opinion anent what shall constitute a box of hops, providing a bill introduced in the house by Settlemier and passed yesterday gets through the senate and doesn't rub the governor the wrong way.

The bill is the shortest one introduced this session, and simply says that a box of hops for picking purposes shall weigh 50 pounds, and no more. If the bill passes there may be strikes over how much it is worth to pick a box of hops, but what shall go to make up a box, in point of avoirdupois, will be settled by law.

## DOES RUBY DRINK?

### Meek and Lowly Dave Davy Says She Fights the Demon Gaily.

An insurrection has broken out on Thirty-eighth street that makes the Russo-Jap difference in the east sound like a firecracker in a boiler factory. Mrs. Ruby Davies oozed into the district attorney's office yesterday and swore to a warrant for the undoing or doing-up of David Davey, charging him with assault and battery, specifically, and whatever she could think of, generally. She represented David as a regular devil, but when Constable

Uttinger haled him before "Hizoner" Dave didn't look the part. He is only about the size of a pint of cider, spectacled, round-shouldered, and bald-headed; his voice was as soft as molasses sliding down a window pane, and his hair is gray. When apprised with the nature of the charge Dave shuddered at the iniquity of the proceedings, and explained that it was he that had been assaulted, and that it was with extreme difficulty he had succeeded in preventing Ruby from impaling her person on his reluctant fist.

Dave related that he is the immediate cause of three little cherubs 12 to 14 years old who haven't sufficient guile to make a warm weather overcoat for a flea, and that Ruby's chief amusement is to hammer their shrinking little bodies into the cold, hard basalt of Thirty-eighth street. Also, he said that the language employed by Ruby was unparliamentary to a degree that caused the neighborhood to flee to the cellars when she "cut loose," moreover David says Ruby drinks, and that when she gets a bun on verily she bitteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder.

The court set the trial of Dave for 2 p. m. today, and the culprit started for home bowed down by weight of woe. He cheered up in the middle of the block, however, and was cursing like a longshoreman and his beard bristled with rage as he faded away toward the gloom of uptown.

Willie Martin was arrested yesterday by Chief Hallock on a charge of deserting from the Perry and turned over to the captain. While in the city jail he cursed and abused the captain, evincing a disposition of utter depravity. He will be placed in irons until such time as he learns to respect his superior officers. This is the second time he has deserted. He served a term in the reform school and is regarded as a tough case.

## DAMAGE FROM STORM

### Stock Will Perish and Many Poor Suffer.

## MONTANA IS COLDEST SPOT

### In Nebraska and Dakota a Number of Deaths Have Occurred in Blizzard and Stockmen Will Suffer a Heavy Loss.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The entire north west and the middle states will continue in the grasp of the cold wave for at least another 24 hours. The coldest spot in the United States today was Glendive, Mont., where the thermometer registered 53 below. Other low temperatures are: Havre, Mont., 43; Winthrop, 34; Medicine Hat, 26.

The center of the cold wave is still in North Dakota, but is slowly moving southward. It is not expected its full force will be expended for several days. It is the coldest day of the year in Chicago, being 14 below. Tonight the mercury is 8 below and is steadily going lower with indications of 15 below by morning. Among the poor there is great suffering.

## AT THE STAR.

The acts at the Star were all changed Thursday, as usual, and all the non-pariel numbers on the fine bill presented will be seen at their best. Mons Camillo, the originator of the difficult and spectacular zig-zag pyramid, gives this star act at each performance and is assisted by Mlle. Fona, herself a performer of high order. Hanson and Drew, in the funniest of comedietas, Coles, and Coles the world's marvel-athletes, Grace de Wolf, the champion chick-and-wing dancer and singer, the illustrated song "Come and Play in My Back Yard," and the projectoscope pictures, all the best that can be procured are there. Don't miss the Star.